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First Named Inventor	Eric C. Anderson et al.	
Group Art Unit	2612	
Examiner Name	J. Wilson	
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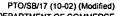
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